

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

**BONNIE NICHOLS, as Independent  
Administrator of the ESTATE OF  
ODDIE BIBBS, deceased,**

**Plaintiff,**

**vs.**

**No. 18-CV-1103-DRH-SCW**

**HELIA HEALTHCARE OF BELLEVILLE,  
ILLINOIS D/B/A WILLOW CREEK  
REHABILITATION AND NURSING  
CENTER, EILEEN HOAG, RD, LD,  
JOHN MAGNER, M.D., and GENERAL  
MEDICINE OF ILLINOIS PHYSICIANS, PC.**

**Defendants.**

**ORDER**

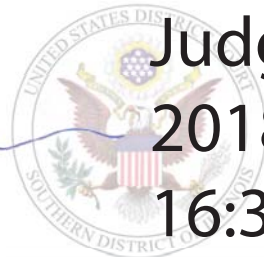
**HERNDON, District Judge:**

Presently before the Court is the Motion to Substitute the United States of America as defendant (doc. 5). Defendant John Magner, M.D., and the United States of America, by and through their attorneys, request that the United States of America be substituted for defendant Magner and that defendant Magner be dismissed with prejudice. *Id.* The Court, being fully advised of the premises in this matter and pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 233, **GRANTS** the motion (doc. 5). Defendant John Magner, M.D. is dismissed from this lawsuit with prejudice. Furthermore, the United States of America is substituted as a defendant. The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk of the Court to update the docket sheet to reflect the

change effected by the Order.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

*David Herndon*



Judge Herndon

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**United States District Judge**